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UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed for filing is an original patent application by Jefferson G. SHINGLETON, Elise R. BREWSTER, Thomas L. DINWOODIE, and Gianluigi MASCOLO for MODULAR SHADE SYSTEMWITH SOLAR TRACKING PANELS

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- [X] 5 sheet(s) of [X] formal [] informal drawing(s);
- [X] 7 sheet(s) of specification/abstract;
- [X] <u>5</u> sheet(s) of claims;
- [X] Application Data Sheet (4 pages);
- [X] Applicant claims small entity status. See Rule 37 C.F.R. 1.27.
- [X] Priority is claimed to Provisional Application Nos. 60/453,637, filed 10 March 2003, and to 60/517,574, filed 5 November 2003.

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